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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Kris Gilbert Achiel DEMUYNCH, Frank Octaaf VAN DER
PUTTEN
SYSTEM WITH INTERLEAVER AND DE-INTERLEAVER
Assignee: ALCATEL
Our Ref. Q76474

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 14 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 1 sheet of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Application Data Sheet, an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified), and a Preliminary Amendment.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>10</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>4</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$0.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>7</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>4</u>	x	\$84.00	=	<u>\$336.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$750.00</u>

TOTAL FILING FEE	<u>\$1086.00</u>
Recordation of Assignment	<u>\$40.00</u>
TOTAL FEE	<u>\$1126.00</u>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1086.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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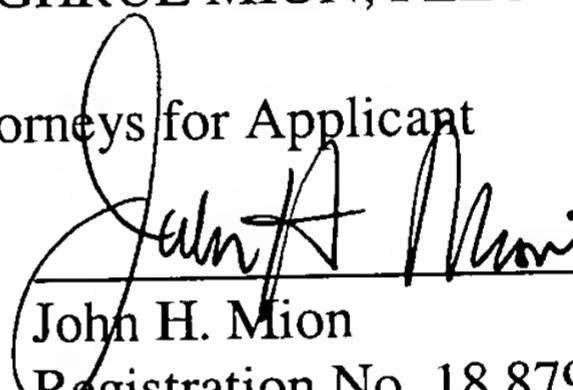
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The priority document will be filed at a later date.

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